

KEEP M. U. A UNIVERSITY, IS PAPER'S PLEA

St. Louis Times Objects Strongly to Plan to Make College of Agriculture Independent.

A "MISTAKE" IN ROLLA
Even School of Mining Should Have Been Kept at Columbia. It Is Argued.

From the St. Louis Times.

The announcement by Senator-elect Irwin that he will introduce a bill to move the School of Agriculture from Columbia to Maryville is not cheering. Such a policy is in line with the mistake made in making the School of Mining at Rolla a separate institution, with the right to confer degrees.

We should keep the University of Missouri a university. It should be the center about which special schools all turn. There may be certain departments located elsewhere, but only when there is a good and sufficient reason. All should be under general control of the University.

A large investment has already been made at Columbia for the School of Agriculture, including a large acreage of farming land. But this is not the chief reason for keeping it there. There are many subjects connected with scientific agriculture which should be taken under the professors of the University. The University has large laboratories and a great library. It also is visited by the most eminent men and women of America, and often lecturers from various parts of the outside world speak at Columbia. The culture value of university life can scarcely be overestimated.

The duplication of all these facilities is a practical impossibility. If attempted, it would require a great outlay of money. It might be possible to get specialists at schools remote from the University, but there is a danger from too narrow specializing. We must still grow men and women, with an interest in things human, and in the making of farmers, for example, we should not neglect general culture. The students of the University, whatever the courses they are pursuing, should likewise have opportunity to hear great experts along other lines.

It would have been far better for the students of the School of Mines had headquarters been made at Columbia. Field parties for actual mine work could have been sent out to various places. But the teaching and the laboratory work could better have been done at the seat of the University.

Instead of further decentralization, the need is for expansion of the University of Missouri. The departments there should be strengthened. All facilities should be improved. Not only would the graduates of the various special schools get more good from the work if they were at Columbia, but the diplomas issued by the University of Missouri would be of increasing weight, with the steady development of the University.

Dispatches from Jefferson City have told of a movement on the part of some to have the University and the College of Agriculture separated and maintained as separate institutions. A few days ago, Will C. Irwin, a Jefferson City attorney, according to the dispatches, announced that he would introduce a bill at the coming session of the General Assembly to bring this about. This bill, he said, would provide for the location of the College of Agriculture at Maryville.

The removal of the College of Agriculture is not possible by legislative action. It is located in Columbia as a part of the University of Missouri by the state constitution and this cannot be changed by the Legislature.

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News of Columbia Society

(Miss Ella Wyatt, society editor, will appreciate it if you will telephone society items between 11 and 12 o'clock. Telephone 274.)

Mrs. Isadore A. Barth, 5 Glenwood avenue, will entertain Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock with a party for her daughter Sallie. Those present will be: Virginia Babb, Jane Barth, Mary Martha Catron, Rose Collier, Louise Parks, Helen Conley, Bernice McAlester, Annie Loeb, Bertha Loeb, Ruth Moulton, Marjorie Trenholme, Virginia Guitart, Fred Smith, Jack Miller, Charles Bain, Winifred Anderson, John Sykes, William Neate, Sam Digges, Genevieve Norris, Dot Betty Johnson, Katherine Fredendall, Dorothy Fredendall, Blanch Kyle, Quanna Kyle, Jack Noyes, Rosalind McPherson, Anne McBaine, Elizabeth Kempster, Sophie Meyer, Herbert Wait, Billy Nowell, Anna Katherine Dorgan, Samuel Braden, Justin Kline, Joseph Haseman, Howard Pyle, Marjorie Baker, Corinne Harper, Alice Josephine Shepard, Mary Marjorie Lipp and Sue Meyer.

Mrs. Earl W. Henderson, 1409 Windsor street, entertained at dinner Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Caudle, Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Johnson and Mrs. Laura J. Walker.

President A. Ross Hill returned last night from Pinchurst, N. C., where he spent the holidays. Mrs. Hill will return next week.

Miss Nadine Brownfield of Chillicothe, formerly with the University Co-Op, later assistant to William Harth of the Missouri Farmer, was married to Theodore Hector Brace of Jefferson City on December 25. They will be at home in Tulsa, Okla.

Miss Mamie Alph Bennett, a graduate of the School of Commerce, and Charles Wilson Laughlin, a graduate of the School of Engineering, were married December 24 at Kansas City.

Mrs. Jane A. Hurty, 1 Watson place, will entertain with a tea Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. James H. George and Miss Caroline George. The guests will be the women of the Episcopal Church.

Miss Pearl Mitchell, 1506 Rosemary lane, entertained at 3:30 o'clock with an informal tea this afternoon for Mrs. F. P. Blair, Mrs. B. M. Anderson, Jr., of New York City, and Mrs. John Allen. Those present were: Mrs. J. C. Jones, Mrs. Walter Miller, Mrs. J. S. Anthony, Mrs. J. F. Branham, Mrs. Sidney Calvert, Mrs. J. C. Babb, Mrs. E. B. Gentry, Mrs. E. C. Clinkscale, Mrs. Turner Clinkscale, Mrs. B. M. Anderson, Mrs. Kate Conley, Mrs. E. S. Conley, Mrs. Minnie Tichner, Mrs. Turner Gordon, Mrs. Odon Guitart, Mrs. E. A. Allen, Miss Mary Allen, Mrs. R. H. Gray, Mrs. Florence Rollins Gay, Miss Eva Johnston and Miss Laura Matthews.

Mrs. H. B. Almstedt, 211 South Garth avenue, entertained with a neighborhood party Thursday evening from 7 to 10 o'clock for her children, Ruth, Regina, Margaret and Elsa Almstedt. Those

present were: Frances Jeffers, Katherine Jeffers, Mildred Shepard, Virginia Persons, Marguerite Tipton, June Meriam, Martha Ann Martin, Dorothy Johnson, Mary Sabine, Elizabeth Hedrick, Amy Hedrick, Rachel Hedrick, William Jeffers, Max Shepard, William Persons and Jack Sabine.

Mrs. Jane A. Hurty, 1 Watson place, entertained with a buffet supper this evening at 6:30 o'clock. Those present were: Dean and Mrs. E. J. McCauley, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Severance, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Babb, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Ankeny, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Spaulding, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Meriam, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Gentry, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hedrick, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller, Dean and Mrs. J. C. Jones, Miss Eva Johnston, and Miss Elizabeth Spaulding.

The wedding of Miss Laura Bell Coleman and Frank D. Baumgartner, who both live on farms near Columbia, took place at 8 o'clock last evening at the home of the Rev. J. A. Medley of Wilkes boulevard. Only the immediate families of the bride and groom were present.

Miss Ora Schoelling, of Jacksonville, Mo., a former student in the University, and Elmore Brown were married December 20 at Jacksonville.

Miss Zada Malone and Milton Towson, both of Mexico, are to be married in that city at 8:30 o'clock tonight according to the Mexico Ledger. Miss Malone formerly attended Christian College here and also Bishop Robertson's Hall in St. Louis. The couple will leave immediately after the ceremony for a trip through the east.

STUDENTS, ATTENTION!
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WHAT NEW NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS MAY BE AMONG CITIZENS HERE

Now that the time when we raise our right hand and say "Never again," is here, we begin to think of the resolutions we made last year. What resolutions will be made this year? Will they be anything like the following:

Be it resolved, that before January 1, 1922, all streets in our fair city shall be provided with proper markers. (signed) Citizens of Columbia.

We promise to slow up to a speed of forty miles an hour before crossing University avenue at Hitt street. (signed) Motorists' Association.

Picture shows in Columbia will start promptly on time whether or not every seat is filled. (signed) Movie Proprietors.

We pledge ourselves to lead all our efforts during the coming year to stop girls from smoking cigarettes before breakfast. (signed) W. C. T. U.

We hereby promise to attend every meeting of the Retail Merchants' Association during the coming year. (signed) Columbia Merchants.

Resolved, that by December 1 we will have learned to write it 1921 instead of 1920. (signed) Everybody.

NEW U. S. PARK IS URGED

Government May Take Over Mammoth Cave and Surroundings.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—The warm support given by people of all sections of the country to activities of the federal government looking to the creation and improvement of those in existence will cause interest to be shown in efforts to be made during the coming session of Congress to provide for the creation of another such park out of Mammoth Cave, Ky., and certain area surrounding it. It has been suggested in Washington that the scenic wonder of Mammoth Cave cannot be left in private ownership, indefinitely.

The movement to have a national park consisting of a 32,000-acre tract, and including Mammoth Cave, is being pushed by Representative R. Y. Thomas of the third Kentucky district.

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We have made many kind friends in 1920 for whose acquaintance we are thankful. Old friendships have mellowed during 1920 and grown dearer through age.

We have faced some rather hard times and have been confronted with rather worrying situations—but, now that it's all over—we guess we're the better for it and can better appreciate the good times that are to come.

With 1921 at hand we meet the New Year with high hopes. May it bring to both a closer understanding and a better acquaintance that will prove of mutual benefit. We thank you for your favors of 1920 and wish for you and yours a joyous and prosperous 1921.

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